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Lon Thomas
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Re: Second Time Extension for Submitting Reply to Division Reviews, Heber Quarry, M/051/001, Wasatch County, Utah and Cotton Thomas Mine, M/003/024 Box Elder County, Utah

Dear Mr. Thomas:

Thank you for your 2nd letter dated June 28, 2000, indicating that you would not be able to meet the 1st time frame extension given for submitting responses to our review documents for the Heber and Cotton Thomas Quarries. We acknowledge the difficulties that have prevented you from responding more expeditiously and will extend the time frames one more time as requested. The new due dates for submitting your responses are as follows:

Heber Quarry (M/051/001) - July 14, 2000

Cotton Thomas Mine (M/003/024) - July 20, 2000

We sincerely hope that you will be able to meet these new deadlines. It is very important that we complete the permitting process for these operations as soon as possible in order to avoid the possibility of additional enforcement action and/or a temporary suspension of active operations at these sites. It may not be possible for us to offer another extension. Please don't hesitate to call if you have additional questions or concerns in this regard.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg
Permit Supervisor
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